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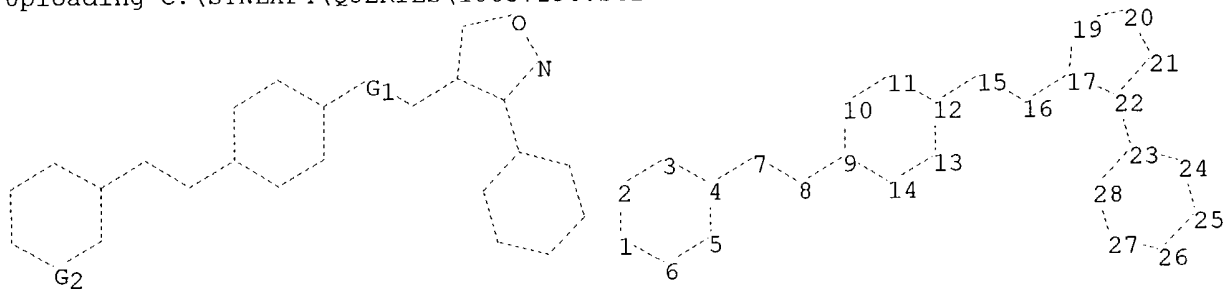
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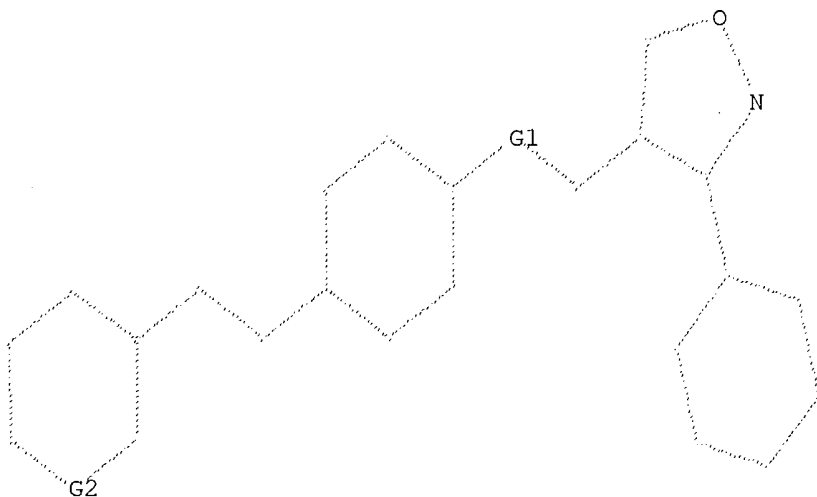
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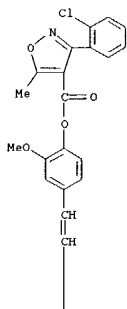
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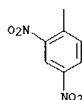
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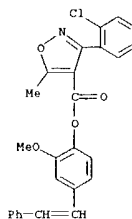
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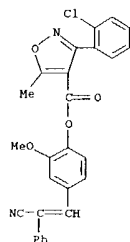
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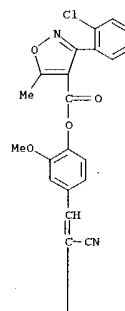
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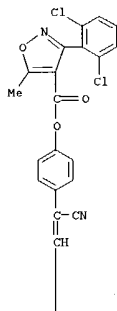


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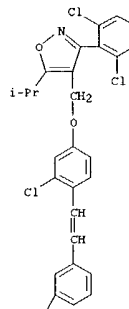
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INVENTOR(S): Downes, Michael R.; Verdica, Mark A.; Noel, Joseph P.; Evans, Ronald M.; Bowman, Lindsey J.; Bowman, Marianne
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Salk Institute for Biological Studies, USA
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 139 pp.
CODEN: PIXXD2
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US 2002-426665P P 20021115 US 2002-426668P P 20021115				
AB The present invention provides compns. comprising the ligand binding domain (LBD) of a human farnesoid X receptor (FXR) in crystalline form. In alternative embodiments, the LBD of FXR is complexed with a ligand therefor. There are provided high resolution structures and coordinates of FXR complexed with a novel high affinity agonist, fexaramine. The discovered structure of a FXR LBD provides the first three-dimensional view of the structural basis for FXR ligand binding. The present invention further provides a computer for producing a three-dimensional representation of FXR or a complex thereof, and a computer for determining at least a portion of the structure coordinates of FXR or a complex thereof. The present invention further provides methods of using this structural information to predict mol. capable of binding to FXR; to identify compds. with agonist, antagonist or partial agonist activity for FXR; and to determine whether a test compound is capable of binding to the LBD of FXR. The present invention further provides compns. comprising compds. identified by such invention methods. Identification and development of novel small mol. ligands for FXR, and activation of FXR and induction of FXR target genes by these novel compds. is disclosed.				
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(FXR ligand; crystal structure of human **farnesoid X** receptor ligand binding domain complexed with fexaramine and identification and development of novel small mol. ligands for FXR)
RN 278779-30-9 CAPLUS
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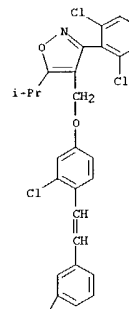
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INVENTOR(S): Nicolaeu, Kyriacos C.; Roecker, Anthony J.; Hughes, Robert; Pfefferkorn, Jeffrey A.
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Scripps Research Institute, USA
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 75 pp.
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US 2002-426456P P 20021114 US 2003-491185P P 20030729				
AB Abstract Potent non-steroidal farnesoid X receptor (FXR) agonists are N-aryl-N-arylmethyl amido and ureido compds. having the chemical structure represented by the following formula (I): INSERT FORMULA where in E1 is (C1-C8)alkyl, cyclohexyl, 2-furyl, 3-furyl, 2-thienyl, 3-thienyl, Ph, or NH(C1-C8)alkyl; L1 and L2 are both H, or together form a pi-bond; X1 is C(O), or CH2; Y1 is H, NH2, NH(Z2)23, or O24; aryl moiety A1 is selected from the group of radicals consisting of: INSERT FORMULA A2 and G1 - G11 are as defined in the specification; and T1 and T2 are each independently O, S, NH, or N(C1-C8)alkyl. The FXR agonists are useful as therapeutic agents for the treatment of diseases linked to cholesterol, bile acids, and related metabolism and homeostasis.				
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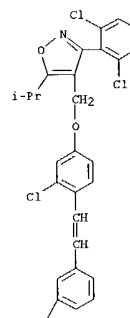
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AUTHOR(S): Liu, Yaping; Binz, Jane; Numerick, Mary Jo; Dennis, Steve; Luo, Guizhen; Desai, Bhasha; MacKenzie, Kathleen I.; Mansfield, Traci A.; Klierer, Steven A.; Goodwin, Bryan; Jones, Stacey A.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Nuclear Receptor Functional Analysis, High Throughput Biology, GlaxoSmithKline, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA
SOURCE: Journal of Clinical Investigation (2003), 112(11), 1678-1687
CODEN: JCINAO; ISSN: 0021-9738
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LANGUAGE: English
AB **Farnesoid** X receptor (FXR) is a bile acid-activated transcription factor that is a member of the nuclear hormone receptor superfamily. FXR-null mice exhibit a phenotype similar to Byler disease, an inherited cholestatic liver disorder. In the liver, activation of FXR induces transcription of transporter genes involved in promoting bile acid clearance and represses genes involved in bile acid biosynthesis. We investigated whether the synthetic FXR agonist GW4064 could protect against cholestatic liver damage in rat models of extrahepatic and intrahepatic cholestasis. In the bile duct-ligation and α -naphthylisothiocyanate models of cholestasis, GW4064 treatment resulted in significant reductions in serum alanine aminotransferase, aspartate aminotransferase, and lactate dehydrogenase, as well as other markers of liver damage. Rats that received GW4064 treatment also had decreased incidence and extent of necrosis, decreased inflammatory cell infiltration, and decreased bile duct proliferation. Anal. of gene expression in livers from GW4064-treated cholestatic rats revealed decreased expression of bile acid biosynthetic genes and increased expression of genes involved in bile acid transport, including the phospholipid flippase MDR2. The hepatoprotection seen in these animal models by the synthetic FXR agonist suggests FXR agonists may be useful in the treatment of cholestatic liver disease.
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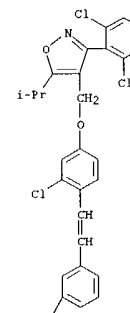
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INVENTOR(S): Klierer, Steven Anthony; Willson, Timothy Mark
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): USA
SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 8 pp.
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AB Methods for the treatment of cholestatic liver disease and reduction and prevention of hepatic injury resulting from cholestasis via administration of a FXR ligand are provided. Bile duct-ligated rats treated with FXR ligand GW4064 had a pronounced improvement in liver function as defined by a reduction in a panel of liver disease serum marker enzymes.
IT 278779-30-9, GW4064
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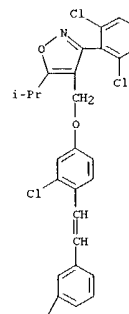


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 INVENTOR(S): Jones, Stacey Ann; Klierer, Steven Anthony; Mansfield, Traci Ann
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Smithkline Beecham Corporation, USA; Curagen Corporation
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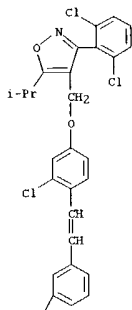


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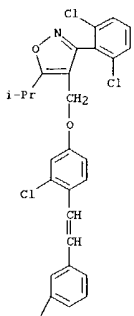
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 TITLE: Estrogen receptor α regulates expression of the orphan receptor small heterodimer partner
 AUTHOR(S): Lai, KehDih; Harnish, Douglas C.; Evans, Mark J.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Wyeth Research, Collegeville, PA, 19426, USA
 SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (2003), 278(38), 36418-36429
 CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258
 PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 LANGUAGE: English
 AB Hormonal status can influence diverse metabolic pathways. Small heterodimer partner (SHP) is an orphan nuclear receptor that can modulate the activity of several transcription factors. Estrogens are here shown to directly induce expression of the SHP in the mouse and rat liver and in human HepG2 cells. SHP is rapidly induced within 2 h following treatment of mice with ethynylestradiol (EE) or the estrogen receptor α (ER α)-selective compound Pr pyrazole triol (PPT). SHP induction by these estrogens is completely absent in ERKO mice. Mutation of the human SHP promoter defined HNF-3, HNF-4, GATA, and AP-1 sites as important for basal activity, whereas EE induction required two distinct elements located between -309 and -267. One of these elements contains an estrogen response element half-site that bound purified ER α , and ER α with a mutated DNA binding domain was unable to stimulate SHP promoter activity. This ER α binding site overlaps the known **farnesoid X receptor (FXR)** binding site in the SHP promoter, and the combination of EE plus FXR agonists did not produce an additive induction of SHP expression in mice. Surprisingly, induction of SHP by EE did not inhibit expression of the known SHP target genes cholesterol 7 α -hydroxylase (CYP7A1) or sterol 12 α -hydroxylase (CYP8B1). However, the direct regulation of SHP expression may provide a basis for some of the numerous biol. effects of estrogens.

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 (estrogen receptor α regulates expression of orphan receptor small heterodimer partner as studied in mouse and rat liver and in human HepG2 cells)

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 140:87450

TITLE:

Farnesoid X receptor agonists suppress hepatic apolipoprotein CIII expression
 Claudel, Thierry; Incoue, Yumike; Barbier, Olivier; Duran-Sandoval, Daniel; Kosykh, Vladimir; Fruchart, Jamila; Fruchart, Jean-Charles; Gonzalez, Frank J.; Staels, Bart

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departement d'Atherosclerose, UR545 INSERM, Institut Pasteur de Lille, Lille, Fr.

SOURCE: Gastroenterology (2003), 125(2), 544-555
 CODEN: GASTAB; ISSN: 0016-5085

PUBLISHER: W. B. Saunders Co.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Background & Aims: Increased serum triglyceride levels constitute a risk factor for coronary heart disease. Apolipoprotein CIII (Apo CIII) is a determinant of serum triglyceride metabolism. In this study, we investigated whether activators of the nuclear farnesoid X receptor (FXR) modulate Apo CIII gene expression. Methods: The influence of bile acids and synthetic FXR activators on Apo CIII and triglyceride metabolism was studied in vivo by using FXR wild-type and FXR-deficient mice and in vitro by using human primary hepatocytes and HepG2 cells. Results: In mice, treatment with the FXR agonist taurocholic acid strongly decreased serum triglyceride levels, an effect associated with reduced Apo CIII serum and liver mRNA levels. By contrast, no change was observed in FXR-deficient mice. Incubation of human primary hepatocytes and HepG2 cells with bile acids or the nonsteroidal synthetic FXR agonist GW4064 resulted in a dose-dependent downregulation of Apo CIII gene expression. Promoter transfection expts. and mutation anal. showed that bile acid-activated FXR decrease human Apo CIII promoter activity via a neg. FXR response element located in the 14 footprint between nucleotides -739 and -704. Chromatin immunoprecipitation expts. showed that bile acid treatment led to binding of FXR/retinoid X receptor heterodimers to and displacement of HNF4α from this site. Bile acid treatment still repressed liver Apo CIII gene expression in hepatic HNF4α-deficient mice, suggesting an active rather than a competitive mechanism of Apo CIII repression by the FXR. Conclusions: We identified bile acid and synthetic activators of the nuclear FXR as neg. regulators of Apo CIII expression, an effect that may contribute to the triglyceride-decreasing action of FXR agonists.

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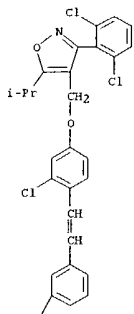
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 (farnesoid X receptor agonists suppress hepatic apolipoprotein CIII expression)

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TITLE:

Human kininogen gene is transactivated by the farnesoid X receptor
 Zhao, Annie; Lew, Jane-L.; Huang, Li; Yu, Jinghua; Zhang, Theresa; Hrymka, Yaroslava; Thompson, John R.; de Pedro, Nuria; Elevation, Richard A.; Pelaez, Fernando; Wright, Samuel D.; Cui, Jisong

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Atherosclerosis and Endocrinology, Merck Research Laboratories, Rahway, NJ, 07065, USA
 SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (2003), 278(31), 28765-28770

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PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Human kininogen belongs to the plasma kallikrein-kinin system. High mol. weight kininogen is the precursor for two-chain kinin-free kininogen and bradykinin. It has been shown that the two-chain kinin-free kininogen has the properties of anti-adhesion, anti-platelet aggregation, and anti-thrombosis, whereas bradykinin is a potent vasodilator and mediator of inflammation. In this study the human kininogen gene is strongly up-regulated by agonists of the farnesoid X receptor (FXR), a nuclear receptor for bile acids. In primary human hepatocytes, both the endogenous FXR agonist chenodeoxycholate and synthetic FXR agonist GW4064 increased kininogen mRNA with a maximum induction of 8-10-fold. A more robust induction of kininogen expression was observed in HepG2 cells, where kininogen mRNA was increased by chenodeoxycholate or GW4064 up to 130-140-fold as shown by real time PCR. Northern blot anal. confirmed the up-regulation of kininogen expression by FXR agonists. To determine whether kininogen is a direct target of FXR, the authors examined the sequence of the kininogen promoter and identified a highly conserved FXR response element (inverted repeat, IR-1) in the proximity of the kininogen promoter (-66/-54). FXR/RXRα heterodimers specifically bind to this IR-1. A construct of a minimal promoter with the luciferase reporter containing this IR-1 was transactivated by FXR. Deletion or mutation of this IR-1 abolished FXR-mediated promoter activation, indicating that this IR-1 element is responsible for the promoter transactivation by FXR. The authors conclude that kininogen is a novel and direct target of FXR, and bile acids may play a role in the vasodilation and anti-coagulation processes.

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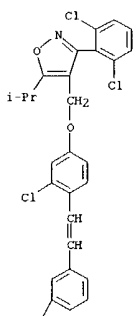
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 (human kininogen gene is transactivated by the farnesoid X receptor in primary human hepatocytes)

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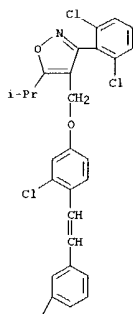
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 TITLE: A chemical, genetic, and structural analysis of the nuclear bile acid receptor FXR
 AUTHOR(S): Downes, Michael; Verdecia, Mark A.; Roecker, A. J.; Hughes, Robert; Hogenesch, John B.; Kast-Woelbern, Heidi R.; Bowman, Marianne E.; Ferrer, Jean-Luc; Anisfeld, Andrew M.; Edwards, Peter A.; Rosenfeld, John M.; Alvarez, Jacqueline G. A.; Noel, Joseph P.; Nicolaou, K. C.; Evans, Ronald M.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Gene Expression Laboratory, Howard Hughes Medical Institute, La Jolla, CA, 92037, USA
 SOURCE: Molecular Cell (2003), 11(4), 1079-1092
 CODEN: MOCEFL; ISSN: 1097-2765
 PUBLISHER: Cell Press
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 LANGUAGE: English
 AB The farnesoid X receptor (FXR) functions as a bile acid (BA) sensor coordinating cholesterol metabolism, lipid homeostasis, and absorption of dietary fats and vitamins. However, BAs are poor reagents for characterizing FXR functions due to multiple receptor independent properties. Accordingly, using combinatorial chemical we evolved a small mol. agonist termed fexaramine with 100-fold increased affinity relative to natural compds. Gene-profiling expts. conducted in hepatocytes with FXR-specific fexaramine vs. the primary BA chenodeoxycholic acid (CDCA) produced remarkably distinct genomic targets. Highly diffracting cocrystals (1.78 Å) of fexaramine bound to the ligand binding domain of FXR revealed the agonist sequestered in a 726 Å³ hydrophobic cavity and suggest a mechanistic basis for the initial step in the BA signaling pathway. The discovery of fexaramine will allow us to unravel the FXR genetic network from the BA network and selectively manipulate components of the cholesterol pathway that may be useful in treating cholesterol-related human diseases.
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 RL: DMA (Drug mechanism of action); PAC (Pharmacological activity); PRP (Properties); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses) (chemical, genetic, and structural anal. of nuclear bile acid receptor FXR)
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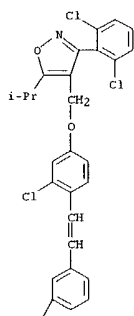
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 TITLE: Differential regulation of rat and human CYP7A1 by the nuclear oxysterol receptor liver X receptor-α
 AUTHOR(S): Goodwin, Bryan; Watson, Michael A.; Kim, Hwajin; Miao, Ji; Kemper, Jongsook Kim; Klierer, Steven A.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Nuclear Receptor Discovery Research, GlaxoSmithKline Research and Development, Research Triangle Park, NC, 27709, USA
 SOURCE: Molecular Endocrinology (2003), 17(3), 386-394
 CODEN: MOENEN; ISSN: 0888-8809
 PUBLISHER: Endocrine Society
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 LANGUAGE: English
 AB In rodent liver, transcription of the gene encoding cholesterol 7α-hydroxylase (CYP7A1), which catalyzes the rate-limiting step in the classic bile acid synthetic pathway, is stimulated by the liver X receptor α (LXRα), a nuclear receptor for oxysterol metabolites of cholesterol. This feed-forward regulatory loop provides a mechanism for the elimination of excess cholesterol from the body. The authors demonstrate that in primary cultures of human hepatocytes, activation of LXRα has the opposite effect, repressing CYP7A1 expression. This repression is mediated, at least in part, through induction of the orphan nuclear receptor, short heterodimer partner (SHP), which is also induced by bile acids. The authors demonstrate that SHP is regulated directly by LXRα through a DNA response element that overlaps with the previously characterized bile acid response element. The authors' data reveal a fundamental difference in the regulation of CYP7A1 in rodent and human hepatocytes and provide evidence that different species employ distinct mol. strategies to regulate cholesterol homeostasis.
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:204786 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:79298

TITLE: Guggulsterone Is a Farnesoid X Receptor

Antagonist in Coactivator Association Assays but Acts to Enhance Transcription of Bile Salt Export Pump

AUTHOR(S): Cui, Jisong; Huang, Li; Zhao, Annie; Lew, Jane-L.; Yu, Jinghua; Sahoo, Soumya; Meinke, Peter T.; Royo, Inmaculada; Pelaez, Fernando; Wright, Samuel D.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Atherosclerosis and Endocrinology, Merck Research Laboratories, Rahway, NJ, 07065, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (2003), 278(12), 10214-10220

CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258

PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Guggulipid is an extract of the guggul tree *Commiphora mukul* and has been widely used to treat hyperlipidemia in humans. The plant sterol guggulsterone (GS) is the active agent in this extract. Recent studies have shown that GS can act as an antagonist ligand for farnesoid X receptor (FXR) and decrease expression of bile acid-activated genes. Here we show that GS, although an FXR antagonist in coactivator association assays, enhances FXR agonist-induced transcription of bile salt export pump (BSEP), a major hepatic bile acid transporter. In HepG2 cells, in the presence of an FXR agonist such as chenodeoxycholate or GW4064, GS enhanced endogenous BSEP expression with a maximum induction of 400-500% that

induced by an FXR agonist alone. This enhancement was also readily observed in FXR-dependent BSEP promoter activation using a luciferase reporter construct. In addition, GS alone slightly increased BSEP promoter activation

in the absence of an FXR agonist. Consistent with the results in HepG2, guggulipid treatment in Fisher rats increased BSEP mRNA. Interestingly, in these animals expression of the orphan nuclear receptor SHP (small heterodimer partner), a known FXR target, was also significantly increased, whereas expression of other FXR targets including cholesterol 7 α -hydroxylase (Cyp 7a1), sterol 12 α -hydroxylase (Cyp 8b1), and the intestinal bile acid-binding protein (I-BAP), remained unchanged. Thus, we propose that GS is a selective bile acid receptor modulator that regulates expression of a subset of FXR targets. Guggulipid treatment in rats lowered serum triglyceride and raised serum high d. lipoprotein levels. Taken together, these data suggest that guggulsterone defines a novel class of FXR ligands characterized by antagonist activities in coactivator association assays but with the ability to enhance the action of agonists on BSEP expression in vivo.

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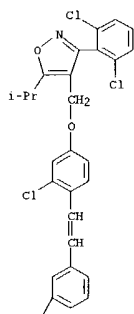
transcription of bile salt export pump)

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:298694

TITLE: Bile acids induce the expression of the human peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor α gene via activation of the farnesoid X receptor

AUTHOR(S): Torta, Ines Pineda; Claudel, Thierry; Duval, Caroline; Kosykh, Vladimir; Fruchart, Jean-Charles; Staels, Bart

CORPORATE SOURCE: U-545 Institut National de la Sante et de la Recherche Medicale, Departement d'Atherosclerosis, Institut Pasteur de Lille, Lille, 59019, Fr.

SOURCE: Molecular Endocrinology (2003), 17(2), 259-272

CODEN: MOENEN; ISSN: 0898-8809

PUBLISHER: Endocrine Society

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor α (PPAR α) is a nuclear receptor that controls lipid and glucose metabolism and exerts antiinflammatory activities. PPAR α is also reported to influence bile acid formation and bile composition. Farnesoid X receptor (FXR) is a bile acid-activated nuclear receptor that mediates the effects of bile acids on gene expression and plays a major role in bile acid and possibly also in lipid metabolism. Thus, both PPAR α and FXR appear to act on common metabolic pathways. To determine the existence of a mol. cross-talk between these two nuclear receptors, the regulation of PPAR α expression by bile acids was investigated. Incubation of human hepatoma HepG2 cells with the natural FXR ligand chenodeoxycholic acid (CDCA) as well as with the nonsteroidal FXR agonist GW4064 resulted in a significant induction of PPAR α mRNA levels. In addition, hPPAR α gene expression was up-regulated by taurocholic acid in human primary hepatocytes. Cotransfection of FXR/retinoid X receptor in the presence of CDCA led to up to a 3-fold induction of human PPAR α promoter activity in HepG2 cells. Mutation anal. identified a FXR response element (α FXRE) that mediates bile acid regulation of this promoter. FXR bound the α FXRE site as demonstrated by gel shift anal., and CDCA specifically increased the activity of a heterologous promoter driven by four copies of the α FXRE. In contrast, neither the murine PPAR α promoter, in which the α FXRE is not conserved, nor a mouse α FXRE-driven heterologous reporter, were responsive to CDCA treatment. Moreover, PPAR α expression was not regulated in taurocholic acid-fed mice. Finally, induction of hPPAR α mRNA levels by CDCA resulted in an enhanced induction of the expression of the PPAR α target gene carnitine palmitoyltransferase I by PPAR α ligands. In concert, these results demonstrate that bile acids stimulate PPAR α expression in a species-specific manner via a FXRE located within the human PPAR α promoter. These results provide mol. evidence for a cross-talk between the FXR and PPAR α pathways in humans.

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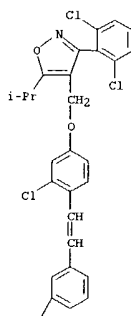
activation of the farnesoid X receptor)

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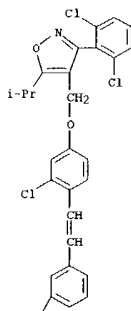
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 TITLE: Lithocholic acid decreases expression of bile salt export pump through farnesoid X receptor antagonist activity
 AUTHOR(S): Yu, Jinghua; Lo, Jane-L.; Huang, Li; Zhao, Annie; Metzger, Edward; Adams, Alan; Meinke, Peter T.; Wright, Samuel D.; Cui, Jisong
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Atherosclerosis and Endocrinology, Merck Research Laboratories, Rahway, NJ, 07065, USA
 SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (2002), 277(35), 31441-31447
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AB Bile salt export pump (BSEP) is a major bile acid transporter in the liver. Mutations in BSEP result in progressive intrahepatic cholestasis, a severe liver disease that impairs bile flow and causes irreversible liver damage. BSEP is a target for inhibition and down-regulation by drugs and abnormal bile salt metabolites, and such inhibition and down-regulation may result in bile acid retention and intrahepatic cholestasis. In this study, we quant. analyzed the regulation of BSEP expression by FXR ligands in primary human hepatocytes and HepG2 cells. We demonstrate that BSEP expression is dramatically regulated by ligands of the nuclear receptor farnesoid X receptor (FXR). Both the endogenous FXR agonist chenodeoxycholate (CDCA) and synthetic FXR ligand GW4064 effectively increased BSEP mRNA in both cell types. This up-regulation was readily detectable at as early as 3 h, and the ligand potency for BSEP regulation correlates with the intrinsic activity on FXR. These results suggest BSEP as a direct target of FXR and support the recent report that the BSEP promoter is transactivated by FXR. In contrast to CDCA and GW4064, lithocholate (LCA), a hydrophobic bile acid and a potent inducer of cholestasis, strongly decreased BSEP expression. Previous studies did not identify LCA as an FXR antagonist ligand in cells, but we show here that LCA is an FXR antagonist with partial agonist activity in cells. In an in vitro coactivator association assay, LCA decreased CDCA- and GW4064-induced FXR activation with an IC₅₀ of 1 μM. In HepG2 cells, LCA also effectively antagonized GW4064-enhanced FXR transactivation. These data suggest that the toxic and cholestatic effect of LCA in animals may result from its down-regulation of BSEP through FXR. Taken together, these observations indicate that FXR plays an important role in BSEP gene expression and that FXR ligands may be potential therapeutic drugs for intrahepatic cholestasis.

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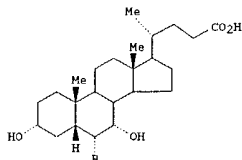
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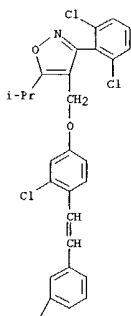
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 TITLE: 6α-Ethyl-Chenodeoxycholic Acid (6-ECDC), a Potent and Selective FXR Agonist Endowed with Anticholestatic Activity
 AUTHOR(S): Pellicciari, Roberto; Fiorucci, Stefano; Casoni, Emidio; Clerici, Carlo; Costantino, Gabriele; Maloney, Patrick R.; Morelli, Antonio; Parks, Derek J.; Willson, Timothy M.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dipartimento di Chimica e Tecnologia del Farmaco, Università di Perugia, Perugia, 06123, Italy
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AB A series of 6α-alkyl-substituted analogs I (R = Me, Et, Pr, Bn) of chenodeoxycholic acid (CDCA) were synthesized and evaluated as potential farnesoid X receptor (FXR) ligands. Among them, 6α-ethyl-chenodeoxycholic acid (6-ECDC) I (R = Et) was shown to be a very potent and selective FXR agonist (EC₅₀ = 99 nM) and to be endowed with anticholestatic activity in an in vivo rat model of cholestasis.
 IT 278779-30-9, GW4064
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study) (GW 4064; binding potency to farnesoid X receptor agonist endowed with anticholestatic activity)
 RN 278779-30-9 CAPLUS
 CN Benzoic acid, 3-[2-[2-chloro-4-[[3-(2,6-dichlorophenyl)-5-(1-methylethyl)-4-isoxazolyl]methoxy]phenyl]ethenyl]- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:729132 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:18310

TITLE: **Farnesoid X-activated receptor induces apolipoprotein C-II transcription: a molecular mechanism linking plasma triglyceride levels to bile acids**

AUTHOR(S): Kast, Heidi Rachelle; Nguyen, Catherine M.; Sinal, Christopher J.; Jones, Stacey A.; Laffitte, Bryan A.; Reue, Karen; Gonzalez, Frank J.; Willson, Timothy M.; Edwards, Peter A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Biological Chemistry and Medicine, University of California, Los Angeles, CA, 90095, USA

SOURCE: Molecular Endocrinology (2001), 15(10), 1720-1728

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LANGUAGE: English

AB The **farnesoid X-activated receptor (FXR; NR1H4)**, a member of the nuclear hormone receptor superfamily, induces gene expression in response to several bile acids, including chenodeoxycholic acid. Here the authors used suppression subtractive hybridization to identify apolipoprotein C-II (apoC-II) as an FXR target gene. Retroviral expression of FXR in HepG2 cells results in induction of the mRNA encoding apoC-II in response to several FXR ligands. EMSAs demonstrate that recombinant FXR and RXR bind to two FXR response elements that are contained within two important distal enhancer elements (hepatic control regions) that lie 11 kb and 22 kb upstream of the transcription start site of the apoC-II gene. A luciferase reporter gene containing the hepatic control region or two copies of the wild-type FXR response element was activated when FXR-containing cells

were treated with FXR ligands. In addition, the authors report that hepatic expression of both apoC-II and phospholipid transfer protein mRNAs increases when mice are fed diets supplemented with cholic acid, an FXR ligand, and this induction is attenuated in FXR null mice. Finally, the authors observed decreased plasma triglyceride levels in mice fed cholic acid-containing diets. These results identify a mechanism whereby FXR and its ligands lower plasma triglyceride levels. These findings may have important implications in the clin. management of hyperlipidemias.

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RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PAC (Pharmacological activity); BIOL (Biological study)

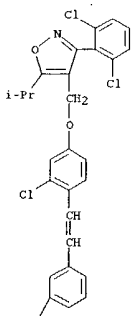
(farnesoid X-activated receptor induces apolipoprotein C-II transcription in HepG2 cells in relation to mol. mechanism linking plasma triglyceride levels to bile acids)

RN 278779-30-9 CAPLUS

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:441628 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:68969

TITLE: **Assays for ligands for nuclear receptors using peptide sequences**

INVENTOR(S): Blanchard, Steven Gerard; Klievar, Anthony; Lehmann, Jurgen; Parks, Derek J.; Stimmel, Julie Beth; Willson, Timothy Mark

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Glaxo Group Limited, UK

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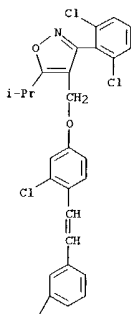
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AB The present invention provides a method of identifying compds. for the treatment of diseases or disorders modulated by **farnesoid X receptor (FXR)**, comprising the step of determining whether the compound interacts directly with FXR, wherein a compound that interacts directly with FXR is a compound for the treatment. A generic approach to assay development for nuclear receptors is presented, using purified ligand binding domains. The concept of generic assay development is extended to develop in vitro assays that detect ligand binding by monitoring ligand-induced changes in receptor heterodimerization. This approach is demonstrated using both scintillation proximity and homogeneous time-resolved fluorimetry (HTRF). Another aspect of the invention is a nuclear receptor peptide assay for identifying ligands. This assay utilizes fluorescence resonance energy transfer (FRET) and can be used to test whether putative ligands bind to FXR. The FRET assay is based upon the principle that ligands induce conformational changes in nuclear receptors that facilitate interactions with coactivator proteins required for transcriptional activation. Binding of the FXR nuclear receptor can result in the alteration of expression of various genes that FXR aids in regulating, including genes involved in lipid absorption and digestion in the small intestine and lipid homeostasis in liver. FXR often functions as a heterodimer with the RXR receptor. The inventive method includes using this technol. to affect bile acid and cholesterol homeostasis such that, ultimately, cholesterol and lipid levels can be modified and in treating diseases in a mammal, including human, in which regulation of bile acid, cholesterol and lipid levels is important. For example, GW4064 (prepared in a yield of 98%) was

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 given to Fischer rats at a dose of 30 mg/kg for 7 days. At the end of
 study, serum triglyceride levels were decreased by 26% compared to a
 vehicle-treated controls. Nearly 20 genes were identified in the
 intestine that were regulated >1.5-fold by GW4064. The expression of
 roughly half of these genes was decreased by GW4064 treatment. All of
 these down-regulated genes are involved in either lipid absorption or
 proteolysis, including lipases, proteases, and a colipase.

IT 278779-30-9P, GW 4064
 RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological
 process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); SPN (Synthetic
 preparation); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); PREP
 (Preparation); PROC (Process); USES (Uses)
 (identification of nuclear receptor ligands for treatment of diseases
 affected by cholesterol, triglycerides and bile acid levels)

RN 278779-30-9 CAPLUS
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 4-isoxazolyl]methoxy]phenyl]ethenyl]- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)



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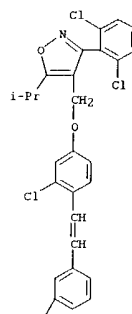


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 (prepn. of GW4064 as nuclear **l**arnesoid X receptor ligand)

RN 278779-31-0 CAPLUS
 CN Benzoic acid, 3-[2-[2-chloro-4-[[3-(2,6-dichlorophenyl)-5-(1-methylethyl)-
 4-isoxazolyl]methoxy]phenyl]ethenyl]-, methyl ester (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

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 (Reactant or reagent)

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